

Attorney Docket No. 728-189 (YOR9-2000-0756)

In re application of: HSU et al.

Serial No.: 09/769,080

Group: Art Unit 2827

Filed: January 25, 2001

Examiner: Chambliss, Alonzo

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GLOBALLY
ALIGNING THE FRONT AND BACK SIDES
OF A SUBSTRATE**

Date: August 23, 2002

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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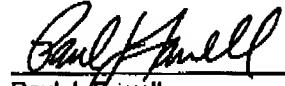
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2. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2002, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE DRAWINGS

A separate drawing page having corrected Figure 4 is attached. Reference number 28 now points to the first circuit system. Acceptance of corrected Figure 4 is requested.

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title to: "SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE UTILIZING ALIGNMENT MARKS FOR GLOBALLY ALIGNING THE FRONT AND BACK SIDES OF A SEMICONDUCTOR SUBSTRATE".

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